“How can we attract researchers to Türkiye with MSCA?”

and

“Mobility Opportunities for Research Staff with MSCA”

“Howison Europe Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions”

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MAIN CALLS of MARIE SKŁODOWSKA-CURIE ACTIONS (overview and features)
Horizon Europe

- Horizon Europe budget: **95.5 billion €** → MSCA budget: **6.6 billion €**
- **Excellent Science** (Pillar 1): reinforcing and extending the excellence of the EU’s science base
Reinforcing and extending the excellence of the Union's science base

**European Research Council**
Frontier research by the best researchers and their teams

**Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions**
Equipping researchers with new knowledge and skills through mobility and training

**Research Infrastructures**
Integrated and inter-connected world-class research infrastructures

€16 billion  €6.6 billion  €2.4 billion
Main Features of MSCA

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions

- Researchers’ training, skills and career development (all stages of career)
- Excellent research in all domains (bottom-up approach)
- International, cross-sectoral & interdisciplinary mobility
- Attractive working and employment conditions
- Structuring impact on organisations through excellent programmes
- Strong collaboration with industry and SMEs
Very proud..

Key figures (2014-2020)

- +65,000 researchers, including 25,000 PhD candidates
- 12 Nobel laureates
- +37% Researchers from outside of the EU
- $6.2$ billion € Under Horizon 2020
- +1,000 Doctoral programmes
- +4,500 Companies supported

42% Female researchers
Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA)

The MSCA have 5 main actions:

- **Postdoctoral Fellowships**: support researchers' careers and foster excellence in research and innovation. Researchers holding a PhD can carry out their research activities, acquire new skills and develop their careers abroad, whilst developing competences in non-academic sectors and working within interdisciplinary teams.

- **Staff Exchanges**: encourage short-term international and inter-sectoral exchanges of research and innovation staff through sustainable, collaborative projects in Europe and beyond. By doing so, they enhance knowledge and skills transfer and increase organisations' research and innovation capacities.

- **COFUND**: co-finances regional, national and international doctoral and postdoctoral programmes for researchers' training and career development. The COFUND action spreads MSCA's best practices by setting high standards and excellent working conditions, and boosts training and international, interdisciplinary and inter-sectoral mobility.

- **Doctoral Networks**: implement doctoral programmes (including joint doctorates and industrial doctorates) by international partnerships of organisations from different sectors. They train highly-skilled doctoral candidates, stimulate their creativity, enhance their innovation capacities and boost their employability in the long-term.

- **MSCA and Citizens**: brings research and researchers closer to children, families and the public at large through the European Researchers' Night - the annual research communication and promotion event taking place at the end of September across EU Member States and Horizon Europe Associated Countries.
Main Aim

The MSCA strongly contribute to excellent research, boosting jobs, growth and investment by equipping researchers with new knowledge and skills and providing them with an international as well as inter-sectoral exposure (including through academia-business collaboration), to fill the top positions of tomorrow.

Budget

- **€ 6,6 Billion** (7% of total HE budget)

Deadlines

- **PF**: 10 April 2024 – 11 Sept. 2024
- **DN**: 29 May 2024 - 27 Nov. 2024
- **SE**: 05 Oct. 2023 – 28 Feb 2024
- **COFUND**: 10 Oct. 2023 – 08 Feb. 2024
- **Citizens**: 17 June 2025 – 22 Oct. 2025

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### 5 Different Actions (min. conditions)

#### Postdoctoral Fellowships

- Individual application with a supervisor and host institution for post-doctoral research
- Max. 8 years research experience after PhD (new rule)
- Research opportunity in Europe and in the world
- Career development opportunity with mobility rule
- Resubmission is not possible if stayed under threshold (70 over 100)

#### Doctoral Networks

- At least 3 different partners from 3 different countries
- At least 1 EU MS/AC participation in the consortium
- Recruitment of PhD Fellows with EU funding
- Creation of Standart / Joint / Industry Doctorate Programmes
- Resubmission is not possible if stayed under 80 over 100 as score

#### Staff Exchange

- At least 3 different partners from 3 different countries
- Possibility to collaborate with non-European Countries
- Research, Technical, Administrative Staff Exchanges among partners with secondment method
- Top-up to the salary of the staff (no recruitment)

#### COFUND

- proposals for new or existing doctoral or postdoctoral programmes with an impact on the enhancement of human resources in R&I at regional, national or international level

#### MSCA and Citizens

- aims to bring research and researchers closer to the public at large, to increase awareness of research and innovation activities and to boost public recognition of science and research education.
- 1 day event in September in every funded organisation
MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships
Postdoctoral Fellowships (PF): Objectives

- Foster excellence through the implementation of a research project;
- Enhance the creative and innovative potential of researchers holding a PhD (training on transferable skills & career development);
- Focus on i3 (international, inter-sectoral, interdisciplinary) mobility;
- Bridges with and exposure to the non-academic sector.

➢ All scientific fields (including Euratom-related areas)
Postdoctoral Fellowships (PF): Types of Action

PF is a mono-beneficiary action to support post-doctoral research and careers and has the following options:

- **European Postdoctoral Fellowships** coming to Europe from any country in the world or moving within Europe;
- **Global Postdoctoral Fellowships** outside EU Member States and Horizon Europe AC.
Postdoctoral Fellowships (PF): Participation

 Participating organisations*

- Legal entity in an EU Member State or HE Associated country

 Researchers:

- in possession of PhD at the call deadline (successful defense before call deadline);
- up to 8 years research experience after PhD (exceptions: career breaks, work outside research, research outside Europe for reintegrating researchers,...)

 Nationality:

- EFs: any nationality
- GFs: nationals or long-term residents of MS or HE AC *

 Mobility rule: not resided/had main activity in the country of

- EFs the beneficiary
- GFs host organisation for more than 12 months in the 36 months before call deadline

* Organisation: legal entity established in specific eligibility criteria for PFs supported by Euratom: an EU Member State or Euratom AC
Researcher: nationals or long-term residents of an EU Member State or a Euratom AC
MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships

Postdoctoral Fellowships (PF): Conditions

Duration

- **EFs**: 12-24 months;
  **GFs**: 24-36 months (12-24 outgoing phase + 12 months mandatory return)

Secondments (non compulsory) Worldwide

- **EFs**: not more than 1/3 of total of project
- **GFs**: not more than 1/3 of total of outgoing phase + a max 3 months at beginning of the project at the beneficiary (to be deducted from the outgoing phase)
  
  **Note**: encoded in Part A (Call specific questions)

Non academic placement (NAP) (non compulsory) EU MS or HE AC

- Additional period of max 6 months after project completion
  
  **Note**: encoded in part A as participant organisation + letter of commitment
ERA Fellowships (widening activities)

- No separate application or evaluation – integral part of the MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships call application form;
- For specific countries* – available in Work Programme;
- Must be submitted by a host institution from a ‘Widening’ country;
- Only for EFs, GFs don’t qualify;
- Only proposals scoring over 70% in the PF call will be considered and failed to reach an adequate place in the ranking to be funded under that call;
- Timing aligned with PF call.

**NOTE:** “call specific question” to be completed in the PF submission for EF to indicate willingness to participate in this call (only if host organisation is a qualifying country)

* Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Estonia, Greece, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia and all Associated Countries with equivalent characteristics in terms of R&I performance (Albania, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Kosovo 2, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Serbia, Turkey, Armenia, Georgia, Moldova, Morocco, Tunisia, Ukraine, Faroe Islands) and the Outermost Regions (defined in Art. 349 TFEU). Guadeloupe, French Guiana, Réunion, Martinique, Mayotte and Saint Martin (France).
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| 50% | 30% | 20% |
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| Special needs allowance (if applicable) | Requested unit
|                                      | EUR 1 000 |
|                                      | EUR 650  |

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**CCC for Turkiye: 64.5% for now.**
Postdoctoral Fellowships (PF) 2022 Call

7,044 proposals received

- 6,334 European Fellowships
- 710 Global Fellowships

Comparison to 2021 Call:

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Postdoctoral Fellowships (PF) 2022 Call

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Postdoctoral Fellowships (PF) 2022 Call

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MSCA Project Pre-Evaluation Support Program

MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships
Project Pre-Evaluation

- Project should be implemented in Turkiye
- Candidates should bear the requirements of the MSCA Call
- B Form

Support for up to € 4.000

Time for Application

Application Start Date: 12/04/2023 at 12:00
Application Deadline: 28/07/2023 at 17:00

Dates will be renewed for 2024 call
Postdoctoral Fellowships (PF) 2024 Call

Modes & Budget

**EF**
European Fellowships

*Held in EU Member States or Associated Countries*

230.14 M€

**GF**
Global Fellowships

*Based on a Third Country*

40.61 M€

**Total Budget: 270.75 million €**
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https://marie-sklodowska-curie-actions.ec.europa.eu/actions/how-to-apply
Useful Links

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Website
https://ec.europa.eu/research/mariecurieactions/node_en

Research Enquiry Service
https://ec.europa.eu/info/research-and-innovation/contact/research-enquiry-service_en

National Contact Points
https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/support/ncp

Funding and Tenders Portal (applications)
https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen

TUBITAK Horizon Europe Website

MSCA-PF Call slides taken from EC presentation made in “Horizon Europe Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions 2023 Calls (online) Conference” on Thursday, 27th April, 2023, organized by MSCA Türkiye NCPs.
EURAXESS «JOBS» and «FUNDING»

EURAXESS Worldwide in numbers
Currently, nearly 64,000 researchers and multipliers are regularly informed by the EURAXESS Worldwide initiative.

Since 2013, EURAXESS Worldwide has:
- Organized over 440 events with over 55,500 participants.
- The country/hub portals overall were visited by nearly 2 million visitors.
- Published over 340 newsletters in all EURAXESS Worldwide target countries.
- Collected more than 50,000 likes and followers via social media (incl. LinkedIn: join our global EURAXESS Worldwide group: https://www.linkedin.com/groups/4990889/).

https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/
EURAXESS figures at Worldwide Level.

THERE ARE CURRENTLY
10931
JOB OFFERS
FIND JOBS ›

THERE ARE CURRENTLY
616
EURAXESS CENTRES
FIND PERSONALISED ASSISTANCE ›

THESE TOP 5 RESEARCH FIELDS ARE CURRENTLY TRENDING WITHIN THE NETWORK

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- COMPUTER SCIENCE
- PHYSICS
- BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES
- CHEMISTRY
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Research Field: Natural sciences

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MSCA-COFUND Doctoral Fellowships, "BIOTIN" Open CALL-2 Announcement - Academic Year 2024-2026

Outline Biomedical Technologies and Innovation (BIOTIN) Doctoral Programme - Second Call for Applications. BIOTIN doctoral programme features an international, interdisciplinary and intersectoral approach to provide 9 doctoral candidates (DCs) a unique blend of research training skills in the...

Deadline 30 December 2023, 17:00 CET

Research Field Formal sciencesNaturalscienceProfessions and applied sciences

MSCA-COFUND Doctoral Fellowships, "BIOTIN" Open Call

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Poland
Status: Open
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Hosting offer MSCA Postdoctoral Fellowships, Cofund - Computer Sciences and Telecommunication

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Website: https://www.pk.edu.pl/index.php?lang=en
EU Research Framework Programme: HE / MSCA

https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/
Doctoral Networks – Modes of implementation

3 modes

- **DN**
  - Doctoral Networks
  - Participants implement a joint research programme

- **DN-ID**
  - Doctoral networks Industrial Doctorates
  - Doctoral training with the non-academic sector

- **DN-JD**
  - Doctoral Networks Joint Doctorates
  - Doctoral programme to deliver joint degrees

All 3 modes compete within the same scientific panels

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What are Doctoral Networks?

Multi-beneficiaries Actions to set up **doctoral programmes** comprising:

- Doctoral Networks (standard): Training in academia and/or industry
- Industrial Doctorates: Training in academia and industry, Joint supervision
- Joint Doctorates: Joint collaborations leading to a joint/double/multiple doctoral degree, Joint selection and supervision; pre-agreement for joint degrees required
Doctoral Networks – 2023 Features

**Size:** Up to 540 person-months for all implementation modes

**Duration:**

- **Programme:** max. 48 months for Standard DN and DN-ID; **max 60 months for DN-JD**
- **Fellowship:** between 3 and 36 months for Standard DN and DN-ID; **max 48 months for DN-JD**
- **Secondments:** worldwide, up to 1/3 of the fellowship duration for Standard DN; **no limitation for DN-ID and DN-JD**
- **Industrial doctorates (DN – ID):**
  - At least 50% in the non-academic sector (can be in the same country as the academic host organisation); non-academic sector as beneficiary or AP
  - Academic and non-academic organisations jointly supervise
- **Joint doctorates (DN – JD):**
  - Enrolment in a joint/double or multiple PhD (delivered by entities located in at least 2 MS/AC)
  - Joint admission, selection, training, supervision, governance
  - Letters of pre-agreement to deliver joint/double/multi degrees (template)
Doctoral Networks – Eligibility Conditions

• At least 3 independent legal entities:
  • Each established in a different EU Member States or Horizon Europe Associated Country
  • Minimum of 1 beneficiary from an EU Member State

• All beneficiaries must recruit at least one doctoral candidate. They are required to host at their premises and supervise recruited researchers, or use associated partners linked to them to do so

• Not more than 40.0% of the EU contribution may be allocated to beneficiaries in the same country or to a single international organisation.

• Specific eligibility conditions for Industrial and Joint Doctorates

• ! Re-submission restrictions for proposals scoring below 80% in Call 2022
Doctoral Networks – Eligible Participants

• **Who can apply?**
  • Any Legal Entity from anywhere in the world
  • But not all applicants are automatically eligible for funding

• **Consortia of:**
  • Universities, research institutions and research infrastructures
  • Businesses including SMEs
  • Other socio-economic actors

• No minimum / maximum number of **Associated Partners**
Doctoral Networks – Academic / non-academic sectors

**Academic sector**
- public or private higher education establishments
- public or private non-profit research organisations
- International European Research Organisations

**Non-academic sector**
- any socio-economic actor not included in the academic sector
Doctoral Networks – Eligible Countries

EU Member State (MS): 27 countries/ overseas territories

Associated Country (AC): Albania, Armenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Faroe Islands, Georgia, Iceland, Israel, Kosovo, Moldova, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Norway, Serbia, Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine
* Morocco, United Kingdom

Note: Switzerland is not an associated country

Third Country (TC): any other country (n.b. Annex A list of countries that can receive funding)

* Still ongoing – for more detail, please consult the HE programme guide and the List of Participating Countries in Horizon Europe
Doctoral Networks – Eligible Researchers

- Researchers must be **doctoral candidates** (not already in possession of a doctoral degree at the date of recruitment)
- Be recruited following an **open, merit-based and transparent recruitment**
- Researchers must be **enrolled in a doctoral programme, in at least 1 EU Member State/Associated Country (at least 2 for Joint Doctorates)**
- **Any nationality**
- **Mobility rule:** must not have **resided or carried out main activity** in the country of the recruiting beneficiary for more than 12 months in the 36 months immediately before their recruitment date.
**Doctoral Networks – Funding**

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** A family allowance to contribute to mobility-related costs of researchers with family obligations which can be granted during the project.

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## Doctoral Networks – Award Criteria

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SHINE- MSCA DOCTORAL NETWORK

Details
Deadline: 23 June 2023
Research Field: Formal sciences, Natural sciences, Professions and applied sciences
Funding Type: Mobility Incoming
Career Stage: First Stage Researcher (R1) (Up to the point of PhD)
European Research Programme: HE / MSCA

About

RESEARCH FIELD: Hydrogen storage technologies, embedding geology, microbiology, geochemistry, geophysics, fluid dynamics and geomechanics monitoring.

The overarching objective of this European Doctoral Network “Safe underground Hydrogen storage IN Earth subsurface reservoirs” (acronym: SHINE) is to investigate the hydrogen/natural gas fluid processes with the aim of assessing the feasibility of underground hydrogen storage technologies within subsurface porous reservoirs, through "state of the art" research and training projects at doctoral level.

The 10 PhD projects on offer are interlinked and focused on the characterization of the reservoir and caprock properties including modelling their mechanical integrity, geochemical stability and multi-phase flow properties during hydrogen storage operations. The training will involve both industrial and academic sector partners with the aim of creating a new generation of scientists able to develop technologies, propose new solutions to sub-surface storage demands and contribute to the European Green Deal and European hydrogen strategy.
PhD Fellowship at Politecnico di Milano

Details
Deadline: 11 December 2023
Research Field: Professions and applied sciences
Funding Type: Funding
Career Stage: All

About
Outline
The Fellowship supports a PhD candidate in Structural Engineering wishing to contribute to the research project 'Simulation and characterization of the mechanical response of composite elements produced by Additive Manufacturing'

Further information writing to: extendilia.boccon@polimi.it

What is funded
A monthly stipend of about 1200 EUR is provided – 100 EUR for research needs (computer, travels, research stays abroad)

Duration
3 years

Eligibility
Graduates in any Engineering fields with a good background in structural mechanics

Organisation
Organisation name: Politecnico di Milano
Organisation Country: Italy
More Information: https://www.dottorato.polimi.it/fileadmin/user_upload/dottorato/2023_aggiu...
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MSCA SE - Objectives

- International, inter-sectoral and interdisciplinary mobility of R&I staff (“secondments”)
- Knowledge transfer between participating organisations
- Collaboration between the academic and non-academic sectors (including SMEs)
- Cooperation across the globe
Eligible participants

Academic sector

Consortium of min. 3 legal entities in 3 different countries, 2 of which in a different EU Member State or HE Associated Country

Non-academic sector

If all organisations from the same sector, there must be at least 1 organisation from a non-associated Third Country*

* Secondments within EU MS or HE AC must be between different sectors (between academic and non-academic), except for interdisciplinary secondments, which must be limited to a maximum of 1/3 of the total implemented months.
Eligible staff

Any type of staff involved in R&I activities (researchers, administrative staff, managerial staff, technical staff)

Seconded staff members

Researchers at any career stage (e.g. from doctoral candidates to postdoctoral researchers)

Actively engaged in research and/or innovation activities for at least 1 month prior at the sending institution

Each staff member is seconded for a period of 1 to 12 months (may be split into several stays)

Staff needs to be devoted full-time to the action during the secondment

After the secondment, staff should return to their sending institution
Eligible exchanges
Same-sector secondments in Europe (MS/AC)

≤ 1/3 of the total secondments funded by the EU, if considered *Interdisciplinary*

*Interdisciplinary secondments* integrate aspects from two or more different scientific disciplines.

Important: *scientific panels + descriptors/first level MSCA keywords* from proposal form part A (see [REA Website](#))
What does Staff Exchanges fund?

- **Unit cost per Person Month**: €4600
- **Staff member unit costs**: €2300
- **Research, training, networking**: €1300
- **Management and indirect costs**: €1000

1 unit = 1 month of eligible staff
Key features – summary

**DURATION**
4 years
360 PM per project

**SECONDMENTS**
1-12 months per staff
*Interdisciplinary* secondments: same sector, within Europe for max 1/3 PM

**UNIT COST**
4600€ 2300€ - Staff allowance
2300€ - organisation

**BUDGET**
EU funding average
75,5 Mio€/call
# Evaluation criteria

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<td>Quality and pertinence of the project’s research and innovation objectives (and the extent to which they are ambitious, and go beyond the state of the art)</td>
<td>Developing new and lasting research collaborations, achieving transfer of knowledge between participating organisations and contributing to improving research and innovation potential at the European and global level</td>
<td>Quality and effectiveness of the work plan, assessment of risks, and appropriateness of the effort assigned to work packages</td>
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<td>Soundness of the proposed methodology (including I3 approaches, consideration of the gender dimension and other diversity aspects, and the quality of open science practices)</td>
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<td>Quality, capacity and role of each participant, including hosting arrangements and extent to which the consortium as a whole brings together the necessary expertise</td>
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<td>The magnitude and importance of the project’s contribution to the expected scientific, societal and economic impacts</td>
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| 50% | 30% | 20% |
MSCA COFUND

Mono-beneficiary action to co-fund new or existing national, regional, international schemes for doctoral training and postdoctoral fellowships.

Focus

- Spread best practices of the MSCA by promoting high standards in the recruitment process and excellent working conditions
- Introduce sustainable structuring effects, by promoting excellent and sustainable research training, international, inter-sectoral and interdisciplinary cooperation and mobility
- Encourage synergies with Cohesion policy funds as well as the Recovery and Resilience Facility. Programmes could focus on specific disciplines, notably when based on Smart Specialisation Strategies.
MSCA COFUND

Modalities:

• **Doctoral Programmes**: offer research training activities to allow doctoral candidates to develop and broaden their skills and competences. They will lead to the award of a doctoral degree in at least one EU Member State or Horizon Europe Associated Country. The training activities should be based on the EU Principles on Innovative Doctoral Training.

• **Postdoctoral Programmes**: fund individual advanced research training and career development fellowships for postdoctoral researchers. The programmes should offer training to develop key transferable skills and competences common to all fields, foster innovation and entrepreneurship and promote and (where appropriate) reward Open Science practices.
MARIE S. CURIE COFUND PROJELERİ EŞ-FİNANSMAN DESTEĞİ

- **Gazi Üniversitesi** – A2M2TECH Projesi – 2,3 M € (HORIZON-MSCA-2020-COFUND)
  
  TÜBİTAK'ın vereceği eş-finansman: 2.450.880 €

- **İzmir Yüksek Teknoloji Enstitüsü** – BIOTIN Projesi – 1,3 M € (HORIZON-MSCA-2021-COFUND)
  
  TÜBİTAK'ın vereceği eş-finansman: 624.000 €

- **Orta Doğu Teknik Üniversitesi** – ENRICH-TOGETHER Projesi – 1,9 M € (HORIZON-MSCA-2021-COFUND)
  
  TÜBİTAK'ın vereceği eş-finansman: 768.000,00 €

  
  TÜBİTAK'ın vereceği eş-finansman: 828.000,00 €

- **İzmir Yüksek Teknoloji Enstitüsü** – WATER4ALL Projesi – 2,6 M € (HORIZON-MSCA-2022-COFUND)
  
  TÜBİTAK'ın vereceği eş-finansman: 1.152.000,00 €
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EUROPE and the WORLD

MSCA-NET Network

National Contact Points for Horizon Europe

The network of National Contact Points (NCPs) is the main structure to provide guidance, practical information and assistance on all aspects of participation in Horizon Europe.

https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/support/ncp
Reference Documents

- MSCA Work Programme & annexes
- Proposal templates
- HE Programme Guide
- Model Grant Agreement
- Frequently Asked Questions

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Work as an expert

The European Union institutions appoint external experts to assist in the evaluation of grant applications, projects and tenders, and to provide opinions and advice in specific cases.

In particular, experts assist in:
- Evaluation of proposals, pre-evaluation and tenders
- Monitoring of actions, grant agreements, public procurement contracts
- In addition, experts provide opinion and advice on:
- Preparation, implementation and evaluation of EU programmes and design of policies.

In order to select experts, the European Union institutions publish regularly calls for expressions of interest (see box below) detailing the selection criteria, the required expertise, the description of the tasks, their duration and the conditions of remuneration.

Interested? Please join the database of external experts!

https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/work-as-an-expert
Assistance in Applications

WORK PROGRAMME

GUIDE FOR APPLICANTS

PROPOSAL TEMPLATE

HANDBOOK Including ESR ANALYSIS

SUBMISSION GUIDES

FAQ - BLOG


http://mariecurieactions.blogspot.com/
Assistance in Framework Programmes Projects Search


https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/dashboard/sense/app/93297a69-09fd-4ef5-889f-b83c4e21d33e/sheet/erUXRa/state/0

Each call's result under the submission page Funding&Tenders Opportunities

https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/
Assistance in Partner Search

Welcome to MSAC matchmaker platform.

Organised by

https://msca.b2match.io/

MSCA NET
NCP PROJECT

Partner search announcements

Searches of partners to collaborate on this topic

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LIST FOR MARIE CURIOUS RESEARCHERS
“Support and Award Programmes” for EU FPs

With TUBITAK Support Programs, we encourage our ecosystem actors to take active part in FPs.

- **Support for the Membership to the Networks**
  - For inclusion in project proposals and encouragement of membership in networks that are effective in determining the priorities of European Union Framework Programmes.
  - As of December 2022, Support application is always open.

- **Travel Support for Researcher Living Abroad**
  - To visit organizations located in Turkey by the project managers of the coordinator institutions and ERC principal investigator/panelists living abroad.

- **Coordinators Support Programme**
  - Travel Support for Consortium Building Activities, Organization Support for Consortium Building Meeting, Training for Project Writing and Submission Process, Project Writing Support, Project Pre-evaluation Support
  - Applications should be completed 45 days before the deadline of the EU FP call.
  - For Institutionalized European Partnerships (IEP) calls and 2nd phase of calls: 30 days before the deadline of the relevant call.

- **Travel Support**
  - Applicable for project researcher candidates who wish to take part in brokerage events, information days, consortium meetings and other events approved by TUBITAK.

- **ERC Principal Investigator Programme**
  - Applications should be completed 45 days before the deadline of the EU FP call.
  - For Institutionalized European Partnerships (IEP) calls and 2nd phase of calls: 30 days before the deadline of the relevant call.

- **Marie Curie Pre-evaluation Support**
  - Announced every year 3 to 4 weeks before MSCA PF and MSCA COFUND calls are closed.

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ERC Principal Investigator Programme
https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/jobs/hosting/search
How to Find Opportunities

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PORTUGAL

UNIVERSIDADE LUSÓFONA’S RESEARCH CENTER FOR DIGITAL HUMAN-ENVIRONMENT INTERACTION LAB

Open Call for a RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP_Psychology

Outline: The Universidade Lusófona, Institute of COFAC - Cooperative de Formação e Animação Cultural, CRL, is launching a competition for 1 research grant, financed by "Fundação para a Ciência e Tecnologia, I.P." / MCTES (FCT, I.P.), ref. UIDB/00380/2020. The work plan includes: - Recruitment and...

Deadline: 13 March 2023
Research Field: Social sciences

GERMANY

ALEXANDER VON HUMBOLDT FOUNDATION

Georg Forster Research Fellowship (postdoctoral researchers from developing countries working in Germany)

Outline: The Georg Forster Research Fellowship from the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation provides fellowship funding for postdoctoral researchers from developing countries to conduct research in Germany. Researchers from all academic disciplines are encouraged to apply. See the full list of...

Deadline: 1 June 2023
Research Field: Formal sciences; Humanities; Natural sciences; Professions and applied sciences; Social sciences
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